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## Banks.

### NOTICE.

## RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor must deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books but should send them to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 5, 1885. 2120

## THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £2,000,000  
PAID-UP, £500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE,  
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CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION—PUNISHED ON ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

H. A. HERBERT,  
Manager, Hongkong Branch.

Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1128

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underwritten, Messrs. of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

## Intimations.

### A NEW JOURNAL.

THE 'TOKYO INDEPENDENT' will be Published ONCE A WEEK, in Tokyo, from JANUARY 2nd, 1886, under the Editorship of F. W. EASELARTH.

Subscription: \$5 a year, \$3 a half month.

Advertisements: Fifty Cents an inch for one insertion. A large Circulation in Tokyo is guaranteed.

Agents in Hongkong: Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd. Tokyo, 15th December, 1885. 2248

### LEGAL NOTICE.

DR. POATE will be absent from the Colony for about a week, from WEDNESDAY, the 30th December, Hongkong, December 24, 1885. 2245

### NOTICE.

THE PRYER RIVER DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

APPLICATIONS for the APPOINTMENT of MANAGER of the above Company will be received by the Underwritten up till 31st Instant.

H. L. SMITH, Secretary. Penang, 10th December, 1885. 2228

### JAPAN!!

### NOTICE.

KUHN & Co. BEG Respectfully to announce that both their STORES, situated at the HONGKONG HOTEL, are now Open, and Thousands of ancient and much Useful and Ornamental JAPANESE ARTICLES are offered FOR SALE, at most reasonable wholesale prices.

Hongkong, December 22, 1885. 2229

### HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE next ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held during the week preceding the Races, in February next. All Exhibits of PLANTS classed as ANNUALS must be in pots, not exceeding 14 inches inner diameter.

W. M. B. ARTHUR, Hon. Sec. Hongkong, December 18, 1885. 2203

### PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THE Underwritten hereby gives Notice that he has been Appointed AGENT of the above Company at this port.

CHAS. D. HARMAN. Hongkong, December 2, 1885. 2090

THE Underwritten hereby gives Notice that he has been Appointed AGENT of the above Company at this port.

CHAS. D. HARMAN. Hongkong, December 2, 1885. 2091

### CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.

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DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

### NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED on the 23rd Instant until the 8th Proximo, both days inclusive.

HENRY R. H. MARTIN, Manager. Hongkong, December 18, 1885. 2202

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Committee, with approval of the Board, have decided to call for the 1st JANUARY, 1886, INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share, Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank, the same being at the Rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1885, and Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, December 15, 1885. 2183

### NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, some of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS, if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Underwritten is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1153

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

## Christmas Delicacies.

SOUPS.—Mulligatawny, Ox-tail, Giblet, Clam Chowder, Soup and Bouilli, Hotch Potch, &c., &c., &c.

FISH.—Sardines in Oil, Citron, Tomatoes, and Butter, Sardines sans Arêtes, Whitebait, Trout, Anchovies, Tunny Fish, Oysters, Tamarind, Macassar Red Fish, Herring and Mackerel au Vin Blanc, Pickled, Salmon Oudets, Salmon Kippers, &c., &c.

PATENT PRESERVED LAX.—Galanine of Game, Bear's Head, Tasmanian Rabbits, Wild Duck, Foie Gras, Paté de Foie Gras, assorted Game and English Patties.

GAME AND PATTIES.—Galanine of Game, Bear's Head, Tasmanian Rabbits, Wild Duck, Foie Gras, Paté de Foie Gras, assorted Game and English Patties.

TONGUES.—Smoked, Collared, Breakfast, Picnic, Lunch, Spiced, Paysande, and Pigs.

Finest selected SMOKED and PICKLED TONGUES.

SUNDRIES.—Apple Sauce, Brandy, Essence, Pig's Feet, Sage and Onion Stuffing, Tripe, Potted Meats, Candied Peels, Currants, Raisins, Spices, Minceed Collops, Curries and Chutneys, French and English Vegetables, Black Lichestershire, Mushrooms, assorted Pickles, Tobacco Sauce, &c., &c.

DESSERT FRUITS.—Fruits in Syrup, Noyeau and Brandy; Crystallized, Peaches de Montreuil, French Plums, Jordan Almonds, Stuffed Olives, Orange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams, Cutting a Dessert Fruits.

NEW SEASON'S MUSCATELS and SMYRNA FIGS. ELVAS PLUMS.

NUTS.—Almonds in Shell, Brazil, Barcelona and Filbert.

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## CHRISTMAS CAKES.

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### CHEESE:—

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HUNTLEY & PALMER'S 'CHRISTMAS' and ASSORTED BISCUITS.

FRENCH and ENGLISH CONFECTIONERY!

NEWEST COSAQUES and BONBONS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1885. 2154

### KELLY & WALSH, Ltd.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED FRESH SUPPLIES OF TOBACCO AND CIGARETTES.

COPE'S GOLDEN CLOUD TOBACCO. Cope's STRAIGHT CUT TOBACCO. Wills' BIRCHER BROS' EYE. Wills' THREE CASTLE. Wills' FOUR SEASONS TOBACCO. Morris' GOLD LEAF HONEY DOW. MILD RICHMOND GEM TOBACCO. OLD JUDGE TOBACCO. MILD OLD JUDGE TOBACCO. SWEET CAPRIAL TOBACCO.

Sole Proprietors of the following favorite TOBACCOS:—'HAPPY THOUGHT', 'DOLLAR BRAND', 'STAR MIXTURE', and 'GOLDEN EAGLE'. Also just received, a splendid Assortment of MEERSCHAUM and BEAR ROOT PIPES, CHAIR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS, CHAIR and CIGARETTE CASES, TOBACCO POUCHES, MATCH CASES, and all kinds of SMOKERS' GOODS.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG. Hongkong, December 8, 1885. 2154

### W. POWELL & Co.

ARE NOW SHOWING A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF TOYS.

Also, a large Variety of Fancy Goods, SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, December 12, 1885. 2165

### G. FALCONER & Co.

WATCHMAKERS, JEWELLERS, &c., 48, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE NOW on VIEW, the following CHOICE and SPECIAL SELECTION OF CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR GIFTS.

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Just Received, A NEW INVOICE OF BLACK, RED and GREY MARBLE CLOCKS, BRONZE and GILT MOUNTS.

Also, TRAVELLING and OFFICE CLOCKS, and TIME PIECES.

The whole of Last Season's Stock is now offered at COST PRICE.

Hongkong, December 5, 1885. 2133

## Business Notices.

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Scotch Tweed Suit, \$15.00.

Over 100 patterns of Stylish Tweeds of Exceptionally Good value to select from.

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Dress Suit, \$30.00. Of West of England Super-fine Cloth made to our special order, fast in color and suitable to the climate.

Hongkong, October 1, 1885. 1771

### Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKING ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

### MISSISS GATE AND FAIRALL

HAVE JUST RECEIVED by the ENGLISH MAIL A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

WINTER MANTLES, ULSTERS and Ulsters CLOTH. CHILDREN'S Ready-made DRESSES. LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES, of every description. MILLINERY, Trimmed and Untrimmed. Most Handsome Laceed FLOUNCINGS of the most beautiful design.

LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S KID GLOVES. HOUSE and TABLE LINEN.

FURS and every description of GOODS suitable for this season. GATE AND FAIRALL.

THE WHITE HOUSE, Hongkong, December 4, 1885. 2108

### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. MR. JOHN McALLUM is authorized to SIGN our FIRM per Procuration from this date.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 10, 1885. 2218

NOTICE. THE BUSINESS of BROWN, JONES & Co. (Underwriters, 6 Queen's Road East), hitherto carried on by E. L. STAINFIELD, was taken over by me on the 1st November, and will continue to be conducted by me, under the same Firm name.

A PROPERTY and COMMISSION AGENCY has also opened, to be conducted under the Name of STRINGER & Co.

H. L. STRINGER. Hongkong, November 6, 1885. 1937

NOTICE. MR. CHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES is admitted a PARTNER in our FIRM in HONGKONG, CHINA, and elsewhere from this date.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1885. 2082

THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:—DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, PICTURES, GAS FIXTURES, SIDEBOARDS, WARDROBES, TABLES, CHAIRS, &c., &c., &c.

2 JINRIKSHAS, 1 BROOKHAM JINRIKSHA, &c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view from the Morning of the day of Sale.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2224

### Shipping.

#### Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Chartered Steamship, Amata, Captain HAMILTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARSEN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 20, 1885. 2250

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship, Laifong, Captain BARR, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARSEN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 20, 1885. 2251

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship, Hector, Captain BARR, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, December 20, 1885. 2240

At the same Moderate Charges. Soda Water, LEMONADE, GINGER BEER, RASPBERRY, &c., &c., &c.

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## Shipping.

#### Steamers.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship, Zenta, Captain M. KROKORICH, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant, at Noon.

For further Particulars, regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the Agents of the Company, Praya Central.

O. BACHRAH, Agent. Hongkong, December 10, 1885. 2187

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, &c. VIA SINGAPORE.

The Steamship, Wooning, Captain AUSTIN, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant, at Noon.

This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, December 16, 1885. 2186

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship, Diomed, Captain GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 31st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, December 22, 1885. 2224

UNION LINE.

FOR NEW-YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship, Cleopatra, Captain GRIFFIN, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 2nd January, at 5 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 24, 1885. 2244

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOERABAYA, VIA SAIGON AND SINGAPORE.

The Co.'s Steamship, Pandam, Captain BERNARDUS, will be despatched as above on or about the 3rd January, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 24, 1885. 2230

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship, Zamboi, will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 6th January, at 2.30 p.m.

A. MEYER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 4, 1885. 2243

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## For Sale.

**MacEWEEN, FRICKEL & Co.**  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,  
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

**HAVE JUST LANDED.**  
THE FOLLOWING  
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York HAMS.  
Sifton CHEESE.  
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THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

**OILMAN'S STORES,**

**WINES,**  
at the  
Lowest Possible Prices  
FOR CASH.

**MacEWEEN, FRICKEL & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 1, 1885. 2084

## FOR SALE.

A HOUSE at the PEAK, with Large  
TENNIS GROUND attached. A  
good View of the Harbour and out to Sea.  
Apply to  
**DENNYS & MOSSOP,**  
43, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 614

## To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.  
THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-  
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamer  
*Pha Chom Kiao*,  
Capt. H. STRATTON, will  
be despatched for the  
above Ports TO-MORROW, the 29th Inst.,  
at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**YUEN FAT HONG,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2257

## NOTICE.

**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.**

**PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.**

The Co.'s Steamer  
*Tanai*,  
Commandant: PAUL  
ROBI and YOKOHAMA TO-MORROW,  
the 29th Inst., at 3.50 p.m.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2262

## THE CHINA &amp; MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FOR AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamer  
*Emeralda*,  
Capt. G. TAYLER, will  
be despatched for the above  
Port TO-MORROW, the 29th Inst., at  
4 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2255

## FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

The Steamer *Glenartney* having arrived  
from the above Ports. Consignees of  
Cargo by her and by the S.S. *Ludgate Hill*  
from New York, are hereby informed that  
their Goods, with the exception of Opium,  
are being landed at their risk into the  
Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or  
from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be  
obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless  
notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day, the 23rd Instant.  
Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
4th January, 1886, will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2263

## To-day's Advertisements.

## SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA  
SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship  
*Denbighshire*,  
Commander,  
CUMING, will be despatched for  
the above Ports on the 30th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,**  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2252

## FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

The Steamship  
*Pinkney*,  
Commander,  
PINKNEY, will be despatched for  
the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 2nd  
January, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,**  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2253

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, KEW-  
CHOW, HANKOW, HANKOW, and  
Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamer  
*Bellerophon*,  
Capt. FREEMAN, will be  
despatched as above on  
MONDAY, the 4th January, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2251

## SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA, HIOGO AND  
NAGASAKI.

The Steamship  
*Cardigan*,  
Commander,  
W. H. COURTNEY, will be despatched  
for the above Ports on or about the 4th  
January, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,**  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2259

## SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. *FLINTSHIRE*, FROM HAM-  
BURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND  
SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-  
formed that all Goods, with the exception  
of Opium, are being landed at their risk  
into the Godowns of the Undersigned, at  
Wanchai, behind the premises known as No.  
3, "Blue Buildings," whence and/or from the  
Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods  
remaining after the 3rd Proximo, will be  
subject to rent.

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at  
CANTON, CHINA,  
will take place on

**THURSDAY,**  
Dec. 24th, at 3.30 p.m.

in the  
**PRESTON MEMORIAL CHURCH.**

Friends of the Society are INVITED to  
be present.

J. C. THOMSON,  
Secretary. 2264

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be responsible for  
any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

ANGLO-INDIAN, British barque, Captain  
Th. Richter, Chinese.

B. H. STEENKENS, German brig, Captain  
Chr. Meyer, Melchers & Co.

CLEVELAND, American barque, Captain R.  
Callahan, Wing-Chung Kit.

DAKOTA, British barque, Capt. Benj.  
Flinstone, Melchers & Co.

HAKONIA, German ship, Captain Kasso-  
bohm, Melchers & Co.

GEORGE, British barque, Capt. William  
Grant, Captain.

ISAAC REED, American ship, Capt. E. C.  
Colley, Order.

LEUCIE, American barque, Captain C. M.  
Laurence, Melchers & Co.

MEROU, British brigantine, Capt. Wm.  
Dick, Master.

SPARTAN, American barque, Capt. Henry  
Cairn, Captain.

TITAN, American ship, Capt. C. H. Allyn,  
Russell & Co.

VENTURA, Span. barque, Capt. Ursinudi,  
Remedios & Co.

RENEDES & Co.

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

December 23, 1885.

*Iravaddy*, French steamer, 2,477, A.  
Bretel, Shanghai December 24, Mails and  
General.

*Massachusetts*, American ship, 300, Tiedall,  
Shanghai December 23, General.—O. M. S.  
N. Co.

December 27:

*Ningpo*, British steamer, from Whampoa.

*Fero*, German steamer, 754, P. Sorensen,  
Saigon December 21, General.—Stamess & Co.

*Flintshire*, British steamer, 1,017, J.  
Dancaster, London via Singapore December  
19, General.—ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

*Strathgairn*, British steamer, 1,236, D.  
Booth, Kutchin December 21, Coal.  
—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

*Norwinton*, British ship, 1,533, Drake,  
Nagasaki December 21, Coal.—STAMESS & Co.

*Titan*, British steamer, 1,554, R. J.  
Brown, Shanghai via Amoy and Swatow  
December 26, General.—BUTTERFIELD &  
SWIRE.

*Haiphong*, British steamer, 1,123, F.  
Ashton, Foochow December 23, Amoy 24,  
and Swatow 26, General.—DOUGLAS STEAM-  
SHIP CO.

*Emeralda*, British steamer, 354, G. A.  
Taylor, Manila December 24, General.—  
RUSSELL & Co.

*Amatista*, British steamer, 522, Thos.  
Hamlin, Tamsui December 23, and Amoy  
26, General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

*Glenartney*, British steamer, 1,400, D. O.  
MacKinlay, London November 9, and Singa-  
pore December 21, General.—JARDINE,  
MATHESON & Co.

December 28:

*Amoy*, British steamer, 814, R. Koehler,  
Shanghai via Foochow, Dec. 24, General.—  
STAMESS & Co.

*G. Grand*, British ship, 1,033, D'Egville,  
Shanghai December 9, and Foochow 26,  
General.—STAMESS & Co.

*Thos. German*, barque, 777, H. J. Reimers,  
Newcastle (N.S.W.), November 13, Coal.  
—ANDREWS, KARRER & Co.

*Yangtze*, French ship, 2,424, M. Lormier,  
Marseilles November 22, Naples 24, Port  
Said 28, Singapore 30, and Amoy 26, Colom-  
bo 14, Swatow 26, and Saigon 25, Mails  
and General.—MESSAGERS MARITIMES.

*Auton*, German steamer, 396, E. Aereboe,  
Aalborg Dec. 24, and Hoihow 27, General.  
—WILLES & Co.

*Edward Kilder*, American barque, 935,  
E. Le Griffin, Newcastle (N.S.W.) Nov. 16,  
Coal.—ANDREWS, KARRER & Co.

OLEARED.

*Glenartney*, for Shanghai.

*Emeralda*, for Amoy.

*Mary Stewart*, for Taiwan.

*Finkler*, for Yokohama.

*Sutro*, for Hoihow.

*Amatista*, for Amoy and Tamsui.

*Pha Chom Kiao*, for Swatow and Bangkok.

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Share List.—Quotations.

DECEMBER 23, 1885.

Stocks.

No. of  
Shares.

Value.

Position for last Report.

Balance, f. year.

Last Dividend.

Closing Quotations.

Cash.

HANKS.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60,000

125 1/2 125 1/2

\$ 4,800,000

For equal

125 1/2 125 1/2

\$ 500,000

INSURANCE.

North-China Insurance Co., Ltd. 5,000

200 1/2 200 1/2

\$ 1,000,000

Yong-Tong Insurance Co., Ltd. 5,000

200 1/2 200 1/2

\$ 1,000,000

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. 2,000

83 3/4 83 3/4

\$ 200,000

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd. 10,000

250 1/2 250 1/2

\$ 1,000,000

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited. 1,500

1,000 1/2 1,000 1/2

\$ 2,500,000

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 3,000

250 1/2 250 1/2

\$ 900,000

China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 20,000

100 1/2 100 1/2

\$ 1,000,000

STEAM COMPANIES.

H.K. C. and M. Steamship Co., Ltd. 3,000

100 1/2 100 1/2

\$ 200,000

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited. 20,000

50 1/2 50 1/2

\$ 800,000

Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited. 13,387

10 1/2 10 1/2

\$ 100,000

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd. 3,000

100 1/2 100 1/2

\$ 1,000,00







